

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION

Under Rule 53(a), (b) & (f)

(No Filing Fee or Oath/Declaration)

(Do NOT use for Provisional or PCT Applications)

Use for Design or Utility Applications

PATENT
APPLICATION

RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231Atty. Dkt. P 264795
M#C00-0922
Client Ref

Date: March 16, 2001

Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (☐ Design ☒ Utility) entitled:2. (Complete) Title: **CREATING GEOMETRIC MODEL DESCRIPTIONS FOR USE IN MACHINE
VISION INSPECTION SYSTEMS**

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. ☒ Abstract 1 page(s).4. 30 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. ☐ Specification in non-English language

6. 24 Numbered claim(s); and

7. ☒ Drawings: 15 sheet(s) ☐ 1 set informal; 8. ☒ formal of size: ☒ A4 ☐ 11"**DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 60/205,595	17 MAY 2000	(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)		(6)	

10. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in

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11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date) _____
in U.S. Application No. _____ / filed on _____12. ☐ This is a reissue of Patent No. _____13. ☒ See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.)14. ☐ **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line -- This is a ☐ Continuation-in-Part
☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation ☐ Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:14(a) ☐ National Appln. No. _____ / filed _____ -- (M#)14(b) ☐ International Appln. No. **PCT/** _____ filed _____ which
designated the U.S., and that International Application ☐ was ☐ was not published
under PCT Article 21(2) in English.--15. ☐ **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line: --This application
claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/ _____, filed _____ --16. Extension to date: ☐ concurrently filed ☐ not needed ☐ previously filed17. ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed (**pre-filing confirmation required**)17(a) ☐ Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s). (Since 9/8/00 Small Entity Statement not
essential to make claim)17(b) ☒ See **NONPUBLICATION REQUEST** under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258)

18. ☐ Prior application is assigned to

by Assignment recorded _____ Reel _____ Frame _____

19. ☐ Attached:20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s) (Double check instructions for accuracy.):
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Title: CREATING GEOMETRIC
MODEL DESCRIPTIONS FOR
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NONPUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER RULE 213(a)

The attached new application is **NOT TO BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. §122(b).

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached new application has not been
and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral
international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

This request is signed in compliance with the provisions of Rule 33(b).

Respectfully Submitted

Pillsbury Winthrop LLP

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Enclosed Assignment

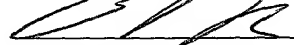
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